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## "HOME TIES"

THE ANNUAL EUREKAN PLAY WAS A BIG SUCCESS.

Interesting Four Act Drama Presented in Normal Auditorium, Wednesday, March 1.

The Eureka Literary Society gave its annual play, Wednesday evening, March 1, in the Normal auditorium.

The play entitled "Home Ties" was staged under the direction of Harry A. Miller, head of the reading and public speaking department.

The play was a delightful romance in which a country girl becomes dazzled with the gay city life and almost makes a mistake. Ruth Winn, the only daughter of Martin Winn a well-to-do country gentleman, is sent to a boarding school, where she can have every advantage. While here she chums with Alma Wayne, a rich city bred girl. Ruth spends her Christmas vacation with Alma in New York, where she meets Harold Vincent, a handsome, cultured young man of an aristocratic family. She falls in love with him, and invites Alma and Harold to visit her the following summer.

In the meantime her old lover, Len Everett, a plain, rugged country young man has been waiting and planning for her return. He has worked and saved to build a house, a home, for her. He thinks she loves him.

The play opens with Ruth's homecoming. Len comes to welcome her home and learns that she does not love him and leaves heart broken. Then Alma Wayne and Harold Vincent come to spend the summer. All goes well until Martin finds that Harold is the son of his old enemy. It seems that when Martin was a young man he had married a young city girl. Harold Vincent's father had persuaded Martin's wife to leave Martin and their child, Ruth. Martin then brought Ruth home to be reared by her aunt Melissa, his maiden sister and that chapter in his life has been closed.

Now the sight of his enemy's son, who does not suspect his father's crime, awakens all the old hatred of Martin and he sends Harold away.

Strange to say, Ruth is not heart broken, she soon discovers that she really loves Len Everett and was just dazzled by gay city life and Harold's love making. So Len finds a very pen-

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## ANNUAL EUREKAN BANQUET.

The annual banquet of the Eureka Literary Society was held in the dining room of the Linville hotel at eight o'clock Saturday evening, February 26. This is the third banquet which the society has had. Several former Eureka's were present and made us feel their interest in the society now.

Chas. McReynolds was toast master of the evening and filled this position in a very pleasing manner. "Reminiscences" the subject of Don Roberts' talk made us all think of the pleasant times we had had and the good we had received from the society. It is always interesting to think of the "future" but more interesting to hear someone tell of it. Eugene Cummins, who was with us last year reminded us of the fact that we should make the future society a strong one. The "Last Will and Testament" of the winter quarter was presented by Miss Emma Hardin, president of the society. Miss Beatrix Winn, one of the sponsors, told us some very interesting facts about a "Minute." A Eureka prophecy, in the form of a letter and the reply was given by Miss Thelma Roberts. We were thus brought to a realization of the fact that many Eureka's are to hold very prominent positions. H. P. Swinehart, also a sponsor, told us of the value of friendships formed in literary societies and the values received from work there. "Friendship" was the subject of Lowell L. Livengood's talk. The toastmaster then introduced the third sponsor present, H. A. Miller. Mr. Miller gave several illustrations to show us that our society had accomplished something in the few years of its existence. The group then arose and sang "Auld Lang Syne." Thus closed an evening not soon to be forgotten by the members of the Eureka Literary Society.

### Slumber Party.

Miss Lucile Holmes was the hostess at a supper Thursday evening, February 24. The party then attended the "Union Depot" given by the Ladies Aid Society of the Christian Church and returned to the home of Miss Holmes for a slumber party. Those present were: Misses Marie Hopper, Ruby Irwin, Gladys Meadows and Matie Evans.

Miss Beatrice Sewell, '14, who teaches in Skidmore, showed her loyalty to Number Five by her presence at the big Tarkio game, February 29.

## CELEBRATING THE VICTORY.

A more jubilant crowd than the Northwest Normal "rooters," when the game ended with a 33-25 score for Maryville, cannot be imagined. This was perhaps made more evident by the contrast between them and the Tarkio students who came to see their team fall before the terrific onslaught of the "Bear Cats."

Nor could the exultant Maryville bunch wait until "2:30 the next day," to express their delight. They formed a line and marched down town, their merry "rah, rah, rah's" and "Here's to the Normal Number Five," making the question, "Who won?" quite unnecessary. But that wasn't all they did. The procession followed the leaders around the square and down Main street to the Linville hotel. Tarkio realized that Maryville Normal was not only, not buried but very much alive, for right before their eyes the Normal students burned the Tarkio dummy, dancing and singing round the victim, for it was a joyous experience to cremate the remains of their most formidable rival.

As the hour was growing late, and those who had voices at all were decidedly hoarse, the happy band separated, to complete the celebration the next day.

Well, on Wednesday morning a special assembly was called and every student and teacher including the training school, were there, on time! The walls echoed and re-echoed the stirring "fifteen rahs for the team!" President Richardson after trying to express his inexpressible joy called on Captain Leech for a few words. "Hickory" responded with praise for the rooters on the side lines and the work of the "Cubs," which he said helped the Bear Cats win. Mr. Leech closed with the wish for the Fifth District Normal that next season's "Bear Cats" win the championship for 1917.

Walter Hanson commended the team for its excellent team-work, which he said was a greater factor in their success than individual playing. He then announced that during the season he had kept a close record of the work of each player in the conference, and had selected the seven with the best record as an "All-star" team: Forwards—Greer, Springfield; Cowger, Tarkio; Center—Wetzel, Drury; Guards—Roberts, Drury and "Dad" Scarlett, Maryville; Substitutes—Vandersloot, Maryville, forward and Homer Scott, Maryville, guard.

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## BEAR CATS WIN

THE BIGGEST GAME OF THE SEASON — NORMALS ALL STARS.

Tarkio Loses to Normal "Bear Cats" February 29 — Immense Crowd Great Cheering.

The "Bear Cats" romped on Tarkio Tuesday evening, February 29. Now every wind that sweeps out of the west brings to our ears the sound of groans, the gnashing of teeth and the almost audible tearing of hair.

Yes, the Normal gym was packed with Maryville fans and a few odd rooters from Tarkio to see one of the biggest battles ever fought on the home court.

The game was a fight from start to finish. At the end of the first half Tarkio was ahead 17 to 12 having made three field goals and eleven points on fouls.

In the second half the "Bear Cats" played the Tarkio team off its feet. The "Bear Cat" team-work could not be broken up. In the last fourteen minutes of the game the Normal Jack the Giant Killer made the Tarkio Giants look like the last hours of a misspent life. They were winded, rattled, and out-classed—even their own rooters gave them up. But all thru the game, even when Tarkio was ahead, the Normal enthusiasm and confidence were expressed in deafening cheers. At the end of the second half the score was 33 to 25. Maryville's superior guarding and goal shooting were shown by the fact that Tarkio only got five field goals while Maryville got twelve.

Cowger, the big center, was Tarkio's star but "Dad" Scarlett held him down to one goal and slipped off long enough to get one for himself. Leech got six field goals—one more than all Tarkio's field goals. It can't be said that there was any especial stars—the boys were all stars and played as such.

"Chiddo" plays better ever game. His work was as usual, heady, fast and sure. Van and Leech worked together to perfection and "Pig Iron" the "Little Giant" broke up so many plays for Tarkio that he nearly disorganized them. The "Gimlet" Scott took his place and played a very fast game.

"Red" Brown refereed satisfactorily. After the game about two hundred students marched up town, where a rather dilapidated effigy, which really

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8, 1916

We are again entering upon a new quarter of our school work. New students are coming in and a few are leaving us — but not for long — they have already informed their friends that they will be back some time soon. During this quarter we have some things to look forward to — the Senior Circus, the annual contests between the literary societies, the annual Track and Field Meet for the High Schools of the District and last but not least — those baseball games in which we hope to see the Maryville Normal team WIN the championship. Let each student do his part to make this quarter one long to be remembered in the history of the school.

### To the New Students.

Friends: Do you realize that you are attending one of the best Normal schools in the state? Your friends at home or elsewhere are very much interested in you, your work and the school in which you are working. The best way for you to acquaint them with the happenings here is to send them the school paper. It is only twenty-five cents each quarter. Send it to your friends.

### More Athletics.

Spring — Springety — Spring — Baseball — Track — Tennis — all these come with spring. Oh! yes, some say that we have spring fever but then that is a minor affair when those affected are able to enjoy baseball games and urge the baseball and track teams on to victory. Indoor practice will begin this week and as soon as possible the teams will work outside. Already the men are talking of the wonderful games to be played and it is that that we will have a winning team this year. Several men have been practicing track work all winter and now that the spring time is at hand more feel the call to the out-door work. Students! do not

let your school spirit and enthusiasm disappear with the winter but let it come forth stronger and help our teams to win the championship. Tennis work is arousing the interest of the girls as well as the boys and we expect to witness some exciting tournaments to be played when the weather permits.

### New Staff Member.

Miss Eleanor Richey, has been elected by the Senior class to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Henry A. Miller who has been the Senior representative on the staff the past two quarters. Miss Richey entered the Normal last quarter and is an active worker in the school organizations.

### Alumni Notes.

Miss Myra Hull, '12, who was visiting here February 26 and 27, reports her work as domestic science teacher in the Bedford Iowa, schools, to be very interesting. She says they have made all of their expenses this year with the exception of fifteen dollars. They have accomplished this through economic marketing and by means of a candy sale held preceding the holidays. A market was planned for last week, at which the girls were to sell home-made meat-loaves. Miss Hull has so managed that the average expenses per capita per lesson has been only two and one-half cents. She told also of the Washington Birthday party the sixth grade girls gave for their friends the evening of February 21. These girls had made their costumes in their sewing class in correlation with their work in history. They used five cent lawn. Each girl brought one guest to the party, and each was responsible for a patriotic story or game for entertainment. After the playing of the games and the telling of the stories, pop corn was served in colonial shaped paper hats. The girls in one of the foods classes served a Valentine dinner at a minimum cost. They made the place cards used and the nut dishes. These latter were made of gold edged red hearts fastened together.

A new \$30,000 school building has just been completed at Gardner, Kansas, where John P. Boyle, a graduate of the class of 1912, is superintendent. It has been stated that there is not a school in Kansas more beautiful, better constructed and better adapted for its purpose than is this one. It has twelve class-rooms, five for the grades and seven for the high school. These rooms have windows on one side only and the seats are so placed that the light falls over the left shoulder. The building is equipped with individual desks and slate black boards. The grade rooms have strips of cork one foot wide placed above the black boards upon which to pin display work. The building is heated with a modern vacuum system and due precautions have been made against fire panics.

The Gardner High School maintains two courses, a general and a college preparatory course, each of which requires fifteen units for graduation. Mr. Boyle has an article in the Gardner Gazette of February 18, in which he

praises the work done in the past and in which he has also given some of his plans and hopes for the future. He explains in this the advantages of the addition of other courses, a Normal Training course, the introduction of manual or industrial education, home economics and physical instruction. The progressive spirit existing in the school is indicated by the debating clubs, literary societies, ten-piece orchestra, large chorus, double quartet and the male and female quartets. The interest that is manifested by the citizens of Gardner predict a bright future for their school.

### Exchange Notes.

We note by The Normal Student from Warrensburg, that the societies of the school are going to have a subscription contest in order to increase the circulation of their school paper. Evidently they feel that reading the paper is an important factor in student life. Get busy—see that you are not missing the opportunity.

Thru the Kirksville Normal School Index we learn that the student council is beginning to boost their baseball team. Student groups of Maryville,—show your mettle, and your push! We're in the game. Win it!

The Southwest Standard for March 1, discoursed briefly upon "Pep." Do you know what it is? Take a few doses. It will improve your system and also that of the school.

The Joplin Echoes suggests the idea of organizing "Pep" clubs. Why not try it and see the effect.

### Assembly Notes.

To observe the custom of setting aside the week of February 22 for the singing of patriotic songs the Assembly hour of that day was devoted to that. An interesting feature was the old favorite, "Dixie," by the fourth and fifth grades of the Training School, and the encore with which they responded, "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground."

In a talk before the students Thursday, February 24, C. A. Hawkins took for his theme "Be There." He said "The sequel of our lives will be foretold to us by what we are now, and what we were yesterday. The usage we have made of our opportunities in the past determines our future power. Powers unused will atrophy or become useless. Mr. Hawkins classified students into three groups, those who "Get By," those who "Get On," and those who try to "Be There." The first class is the student who "gets by" without doing the tasks which confront him. The second group represents those who merely do enough to "get on," but the student who performs each task faithfully and conscientiously is the one who "gets there."

The closing program of the Y. W. C. A. Jubilee celebration was given at the regular assembly, February 29.

Miss Carrie Coler, attired in a costume of 1866 told the story of the founding of the association in the United States, fifty years ago, and of its rapid growth into a nation-wide and even world-wide organization for the uplift and development of women. As a fitting close to the story a group of girls representing a few of the nations enjoying the benefits of the Y. W. C. A. appeared on the stage. First came the United States girl, wrapped in the stars and stripes. Next was the Japanese maiden, followed by girls in the garb of India, Holland, Switzerland and Armenia.

Other features of the program were: Duet, "Wondrous Evening Song"—Misses Jessie Ewing and Dona Peter. Reading, "The Whistling Boy,"—Miss Elizabeth Sobbing.

### EUREKAN PROGRAMS.

March 9, 1916.

Piano Solo.....Mary Sewell  
Debate: Resolved, "That the intervention of the United States in Mexico would be for the best interests of both countries." Affirmative, Joe Farmer, Maurice Fitzgerald. Negative, Chauncey Saville, Wilfred Wakeman.  
Reading.....Retha Robertson

March 16, 1916.

Piano Duet.....Merle Levy, Hazel Wallace  
Paper.....Anna Wells  
Oration.....Lowell L. Livengood  
Male Quartet  
Chairman.....Maurice Fitzgerald

### PHILOMATHEAN PROGRAMS.

March 9, 1916.

Piano Solo.....Bernice Snelling  
Reading.....Eleanor Richey  
Paper (on some phase of scientific progress) .....George Wamsley  
Paper.....Miss Andrews

### EXCELSIOR PROGRAM.

March 6, 1916.

Vocal Duet.....Luella Hammer and Jessie Fannon.  
Parliamentary Drill.....Mr. Adams  
Debate: Resolved, "That a man should have \$1,000 before entering into matrimony." Affirmative, Eugene Hall, Nancy Judd. Negative, Eva Bohannon, Viron Bird.

### Excelsior Officers

At a meeting of the Excelsior Literary Society, February 24, the following officers were elected:

President.....Wood Adams  
Vice-President.....Edith Johnson  
Secretary.....Grace La Mar  
Treasurer.....Luella Hammer  
Sergeant-at-Arms.....Eugene Hall

### High School Circus.

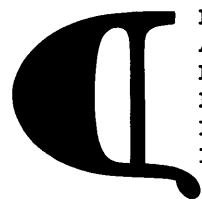
The Grant City High School gave a big Circus Saturday evening, February 26. The circus was very interesting and was very well attended. The proceeds, \$148.91, will be used to pay the expenses of lighting the building with electricity. The Grant City school is a very progressive one in which both patrons and pupils are very much interested.

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### An Interesting Trip.

G. H. Colbert was in Chicago February 18 and 19, attending the program of North Central Council of Normal School Presidents. The meetings were held in the Auditorium Hotel and were attended by about sixty persons. Questions of special interest to Normal schools under the headings of administration, organization and extension work were discussed. February 21 Mr. Colbert visited the Ypsilanti, Mich., State Normal College. This school was organized in 1852, and is now the largest in the state, with an attendance of nearly 1700 students. Recently a new auditorium was built at a cost of \$150,000.

The other buildings are old, but the state is planning to replace some of them with new, modern structures. Thirty or more Normal school presidents visited the school the same day, and all attended a special assembly exercise at 11 a. m. The music teachers of the school gave a short program after which the students were entertained by short speeches from some of the visit-

ing presidents. Monday evening all went to Detroit, Mich., to attend the superintendent's section of the N. E. A. from February 21 to 26. Nearly 5000 were in attendance at this meeting and the week was a busy one. Dr. Nicholas Murray Butter, president Columbia University, New York City, gave the address for the first general session. His theme was, "What is going on in the world." He gave his idea of the meaning of the present European war, and believes that out of it all there will be a splendid reconstruction of the life of man and a better conception of nationality. During each day several programs were carried on at same hours, and one could choose the one he wished most to hear. The Junior High School, Standards and Tests of Efficiency, Normal School Extension, Rural Schools, Household Arts, and Home Economics, were only a few of the main headings for the various programs.

Wednesday evening the Central High School of Detroit gave an entertainment consisting of selections from Shakespeare. Besides the regular work of the association, the visiting teachers had many invitations to visit various places in the city, such as the art gallery, factories, etc. Detroit being the home of several automobile factories many of the visitors availed themselves of the opportunity to see how a car is made. The Ford factory is the largest, employing 2700 men, with a

payroll of more than \$100,000 a day. The visitors were amazed at the tons and tons of steel, miles of belting, whirling wheels without number, and at the way all things were done, but the amazement was greatest, when they saw at the end of their journey through the factory a complete car run out (with its own power) every half minute.

### Lines About the Team of 1916.

This year has been a grand old year.  
Our team has won some fame,  
But another thing, to us more dear,  
Our team has won a name.  
As "Bear Cats" now they hold a place,  
And in the state will stand,  
As fighters hard in every race,  
Because they've grit and sand.  
There's Dad and Van and Chiddo true,  
With Hickory as the leader;  
Pig Iron's there with Scotty too,  
And Shanty; all so eager.  
But now alas, the games are thru,  
They've had a grand old fight;  
Our nineteen sixteen team so true,  
Shall ever stand in memory's light.  
— A Student.

### The School Paper.

Did you ever sit and wonder,  
Sit and ponder, sit and think,  
That the Courier is a paper  
Written with the printer's ink?  
That it represents the Normal  
School of District Number Five?  
And to live it must not perish,  
Must be very much alive?  
Have you friends at home, dear student,  
Who would like to hear from you?  
If so, send to them the Courier,  
Just a simple note from you.  
Thus you'll spread the fame of Normal  
To lands both far and near,  
And the people of the district  
Will be very glad to hear  
That they have an institution  
Of such worth and such renown,  
So they'll send their sons and daughters  
To our school in Mary-town.  
Thus have you, most worthy student  
Helped to push your school along,  
And your memories old and golden  
Will be like a pretty song.  
This is just to draw attention  
To the Courier, yet new,  
To remind you that your quarter  
Is to the paper due.

### Have You?

Have you a joke that will amuse,  
Or a tiny bit of news?  
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Tell us incidents that are true  
Or a story that is new—  
'Cause we like to hear from you—  
Send it in.

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Or a small deposit made—  
Send it in.  
Cash must back the Green and White,  
So loosen up and don't be tight,  
Send it in.

Frank Ham, Ed. Adams and Mr. McClintock of Guilford were in Maryville, Tuesday night, February 29, to witness the Maryville Tarkio game.

Miss Violet Pence visited her parents in Braddyville, Iowa, March 4 and 5.

Miss Gladys Meadows spent the week end, March 4, with home folks in Pattonsburg.

Henry A. Foster, of the history department, was in Pattonsburg, March 4, conducting his extension class in history.

Misses Nancy Gustin and Willie Cozine left Saturday morning March 4, for their home in Dearborn, Mo., for a short visit.

Misses Eula and Lucile Snowberger went to their home south of Maryville, March 5, for a short visit with their parents.

Miss Teresa E. Ford, of Bedford, Ia., was the guest of Miss Elizabeth Sobbing, March 5.

Elmer Greer, a former student, was the guest of friends in Maryville, February 27-28.

Ellis Breit, of Savannah, visited his brother, Warren Breit, February 26-27. Warren Breit is a student here.

Miss Flossie Harris, teacher of English in the high school at Blockton, Ia., was a guest of Mrs. Capitola Osman, March 1-4.

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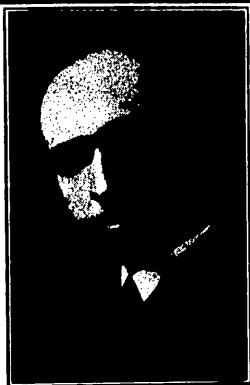
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itent little Miss when he returns from his self-forced exile in the West, where he expected to forget.

The play ends with one great big "luscious" smack to the tune of that grand old song, "Home Sweet Home."

### Cast of Characters.

Martin Winn.....Lowell L. Livengood  
Leonard Everett.....Verne L. Pickens  
Harold Vincent.....Chas. McReynolds  
Josiah Tizzard.....Joe Farmer  
Ruth Winn.....Mary Wallace  
Alma Wayne.....Gladys Meadows  
Aunt Melissa.....Matie Evans  
Mrs. Poplin.....Lillie Hall  
Lindy Jane.....Mary Lewis

All the characters were well chosen for their parts and played them well. The laugh makers were Mary Lewis as Lindy Jane, the colored girl who helped around, Lillie Hall as Mrs. Poplin the widow with the pension and "symptoms," and Joe Farmer as Josiah Tizzard, the umbrella mender and incidentally one of Mrs. Poplin's symptoms. These three kept the audience hysterical with laughter.

The play was a great success. The

Eurekan Literary Society has been noted ever since the society was organized for its excellent plays, and old members and students declared this one to be the best yet.

The interest was not allowed to lag because of the excellent numbers between acts. Maurice Fitzgerald gave a bass solo, and the orchestra gave several numbers. But the catch of the evening was a clown dance put on by six fair Eurekan girls. They were called back for an encore several times.

### CELEBRATING THE VICTORY.

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George Palfreyman, even when "unprepared," can always talk about basketball and with a great victory to inspire him, he made his most enthusiastic speech.

The students and faculty were not alone in their celebration, for W. A. Blagg, president of the board of regents was present and eager to express his pride in the institution. After telling briefly the early history of the school, Mr. Blagg spoke of the things which had been accomplished here, the last, but not least, being to discover a new kind of a cat. He defined "Bear Cat" as a determined kind of cat, who with their willingness to try and their wise and careful leadership, were able to make the school proud of them and attract the attention of every college in the state.

After a talk from Lowell L. Livengood, president of the student body, President Richardson announced that as a fitting close to the morning's program, classes would be suspended until noon.

Though we have resumed our work we are still rejoicing with a spirit that Tarkio can never bury, and which grows stronger with each victory.

We are especially proud of the "Bear Cats" in view of the fact that out of the ten conference games played they were undefeated in the four games on the home court, and won three out of six on foreign courts. Maryville played more games than any team in the conference, while Tarkio played only seven, four of them being on the home court.

### BEAR CATS WIN.

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flattered Tarkio, was burned. Poor Tarkio is now dead, defunct and gone.

#### Maryville

Players—

	G.	FG.	FT.
Leech, f.....	6	0	0
Vandersloot, f.....	3	9	15
Searlett, c.....	1	0	0
H. Scott, g.....	2	0	0
McClintock, g.....	0	0	0
W. Scott, g.....	0	0	0
Totals .....	12	9	15

#### Tarkio

	G.	FG.	FT.
Thomas, f.....	1	15	23
Baird, f.....	2	0	0
Cowger, c.....	1	0	0
Grimm, g.....	1	0	0
Boettner, g.....	0	0	0
Totals .....	5	15	23

### Eurekan Officers Elected.

The Eurekans after a very successful quarter's work, according to its rules, elected new officers at its last meeting, March 2. The members chosen to fill the office for the coming quarter were:

President.....Chas. McReynolds  
Vice-President.....Maurice Fitzgerald  
Secretary.....Matie Evans  
Treasurer.....Edna Dietz

These take the place of Emma Hardin, Lowell L. Livengood, Mary Lewis, Harold Sawyers and Gladys Meadows.

Last quarter's officers acquitted themselves splendidly and these new ones, we are sure, will do just as well. Everyone is invited to attend the meeting and enjoy the program given every Thursday evening in room 301.

### Philos Elect Officers.

At their regular meeting Thursday evening the Philomathean Literary Society elected officers for the spring quarter. The following were chosen: President.....Nancy Gustin  
Vice-President.....N. C. Wagers  
Secretary.....Eleanor Richey  
Treasurer.....Hene Kemp  
Sergeant-at-Arms.....Joe Lukens

### A Trip to the Central Office.

The college Physics class visited the central office February 22. W. E. Jones, the manager, very kindly consented to explain the principal parts of the telephone system.

The mercury arc rectifier was first considered. This transforms an alternating current into a direct current so that the storage batteries can be charged.

The process by which several persons, all on the same line may be called separately, was thoroughly explained.

The method by which broken lines or other trouble may be located from the office, revealed "efficiency" in practical use.

The class enjoyed the trip and felt that the study of physics was more useful, after having seen some practical uses for it.

### Annual Colonial Party.

On the evening of February 23, the Senior class entertained at its annual Colonial party for the members of the faculty and Junior class.

Early in the evening a festive atmosphere was created by the variety and beauty of the costumes and was enhanced by the originality of the entertainment provided by the Seniors. This consisted of the interpretation of several periods in history by means of one act comedies.

Miss Criswell as chairman of the entertainment committee had as her assistants for the different periods, Miss Gustin 1775, Mr. Livengood 1840, Mr. Utter 1860, Miss Richey 1916, Miss Dietz 1920.

Supper was served in the second story corridor where the evening's gaiety was completed by the singing of patriotic songs.

### Y. W. C. A. Luncheon.

The girls of the Y. W. C. A. had a luncheon Tuesday evening, February 29. They gathered in the ladies' parlor after school and had a good social time during the evening. Music was furnished by the victrola. Lunch was served, after which the girls went to the gymnasium to witness the basketball game between Tarkio and the Normal.

Miss Gladys Giffin, Madison Wilson and Marion Laughlin returned to their homes in Guilford, March 3. These young people will not be in school this quarter.

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